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## HELEN HAY ENGAGED

### Daughter of Secretary of State to Marry Payne Whitney.

**Young Woman Is Exceedingly Popular and Has Decided Talent for Literature—Wedding to Take Place in February.**

Secretary of State and Mrs. Hay have formally announced the engagement of their eldest daughter, Miss Helen Hay, to Payne Whitney, son of the former secretary of the navy, William C. Whitney, of New York. A pretty romance will end in the wedding which is to take place early in February, and which was begun many months ago.

Matters did not, however, assume a serious phase between the lovers until late in the summer, when Mr. Whitney became a guest of the secretary and his family at Lake Sunapee, the summer home of the Hays.

Miss Hay is a beautiful girl, small, finely formed, and with large brown eyes and a wealth of dark hair. Her voice is most winning, possessing great depth and sympathy. She was, before the long mourning period to which death subjected the family, one of the most beautifully dressed girls in Washington.

The literary tastes of Miss Hay have brought her into close touch with the literary people of the country, many of whom were frequent invited guests at her father's house. It is hoped by her friends that her ambitions in this line of work will not be interfered with in her marriage to Mr. Whitney. As the daughter of the American ambassador at the court of St. James, Miss Hay was much admired, and on her return to America did some serious literary work, as well as mingling constantly in society, both in Washington and Boston.

A little book much liked by her friends she called "Some Verses," and in the romance of the South seas she accomplished a more ambitious work

MISS HELEN HAY.
(Her Engagement to Payne Whitney Has Just Been Announced.)

entitled "The Rose of Dawn." But it is probably in her juvenile work that Miss Hay is at her best, and in her "Little Boy Book," published some months ago, were found the most delightful appeals to childish fancy.

She now has a collection of stories almost completed, and will publish them soon after her marriage. Miss Hay is also a contributor to the Christmas number of the Century Magazine.

Payne Whitney is well known in Washington, where, as the son of the secretary of the navy, he spent many pleasant days. He is the second son of William C. Whitney, of New York, who was secretary of the navy under President Cleveland. He was a former classmate of Adelbert Hay, the brother of Miss Hay, at Yale. His elder brother is Henry Payne Whitney, who married Miss Gertrude Vanderbilt. His sister, Miss Pauline Whitney, married Mr. Almeric H. Paget, of London.

Miss Hay has long been interested in philanthropic work of Washington, and one of her graceful works is to go to the reading room for the blind at the Congressional library several times a season and read for the habitues of the pavilion.

The wedding, early in February, will be a quiet affair, witnessed by only the families of the two young people, and will take place in the Hay residence in Washington.

**Why French Colonies Fail.**

One reason for France's failure in colonization, says Thornwell Haynes, consul at Rouen, is that the soldier has determined the position and character of her colonies. In Africa, for instance, she colonized with military expeditions; England, on the other hand, with merchants, who have fixed upon the most fertile points with a trader's instinct. In the fight for commercial supremacy traders are better than soldiers. Again, the specialties of French manufacture—silks, ribbons, gloves, and articles de Paris—are not what a colonial people desire, and an inability to minister to the more vulgar needs of the multitude has allowed other nations to enter these markets.

**Ireland's Criminal Record.**

Ireland continues to far outdistance all other European countries in crimelessness. Official statistics for the last year just published show a decrease of 10.2 per cent. in minor offenses as compared with the preceding year.

**Long Pipe Line in the West.**

The longest pipe line in the United States is to be built from Wyoming to Salt Lake City.

## McKINLEY AS HANNA KNEW HIM.

### The Senator Contributes a Remarkable Series of Articles to "The National Magazine."

The January "National Magazine" of Boston will contain the first of a series of articles by Senator Mark Hanna of Ohio on the career of his friend, the late President William McKinley. No other man was so warmly devoted to McKinley or so closely in touch with him. These articles will embody the Senator's estimate of his friends character and life work, and give many interesting incidents of his career. They will be the most widely read and authoritative contributions on this subject, which is of the profoundest interest to all patriotic Americans.

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## BEHIND THE SCENES.

The estate of the late President McKinley appraised at $200,000.

When we turn to the sufferings of the race, we find that we are suffering from the effects of two hundred and fifty years of slavery. For the most part the immorality of the race can be traced to the same. The three million mulattoes among us are living witnesses to the truthfulness of this statement. Poverty is another cause of suffering. The slave worked for 250 years and received nothing, we are the victims of ignorance, lack of race pride, race prejudice and in certain States disfranchisement and above all lack of unity.

Rural free delivery has been found by the Postal Department to be a paying investment.

Last Sunday the Nobles of Richmond, Ind., turned out in full dress, and attended sermon at the A. M. E. Church on Sixth street, they were accompanied by the Nobles of the the Temple at Muncie, Ind. The Temple sexpect to be present at the next session of the Grand Council which will meet in Springfield, Ohio, August 4, 1902.

The several Commandries of Missouri and Kansas participated in a grand drill, Nov. 28, at St. Joseph, Mo.

A Convention of Courts of H. of J will meet at Springfield, August 6, 1902.

Grand Master Clark and P. G. M., R. J. Fletcher of California have organized a new Masonic Lodge at Los Angeles.

The K. T's., of New York elected officers at the election held recently. Sir M. F. Fields, P. R. E., G. C., of Missouri was an honored guest. He read a very interesting paper on "Modern Kinghood" which was responded to in an able manner by Sir Payne, R. E. G. C., of New York. Sir Fields was elected honorary member of the jurisdiction.

Prof. T. J. Smith, of Frankfort, Ky., was elected as the successor of the late Grand Secretary Brother W. H. Ross, of the G. U. O. of O. F.

A fool may ask more questions in seven minutes then a wise man can answer in seven years.

It cost the people of New York, $700,000 to defeat Mr. Croker.

It will take the Court of Inquiry about 6 months to find out what Admiral Schley did in two hours.

Explorers have approached within 238 miles of the North Pole and 772 miles of the South Pole.

In the real estate business, deeds speak louder than words.

Large railroads after Jan. 1, 1902 will not issue passes. The various large railroads are in the combination.

Rev. Moses Dickson, of St. Louis, Mo., died age 78. The deceased was a prominent Mason one of the original promoters of the underground railroad and founder of the I. O. K. and D. of T.

Relative to lynching, in twenty years 3,130 persons have been lynched in this country from 1885 to 1900 inclusive shows that 2,516 were lynched in forty States, of the total number of lynching Bees of 2,516, 2,080 were perpetrated in the Sunny South (which should be properly designated the Bloody South) and 436 in the Northern States, out of which 1,679 were negroes, 801 white, 21 Indians, 9 Chinese, 7 Mexicans. We must say this a nice record for a civilized country.

At Medicine Lodge, Kansas, David Nation was granted a divorce from his wife Carrie.

The Washington Roosevelt dinner subject has about quieted down since Mr. Thomas H. Malone, the great writer, poet and correspondent of the *Age*, in Washington, has told the country how gracefully "the cull'ed gent'man" said: "wont yer please ter pass-de-ham?"

The race makes a big mistake in not assisting the Black Press of this country in order that we can ventilate our views while there are in this country a number of white papers that are favorably disposed towards us from a race standpoint there are others that are just to the contrary. The position of the race today is a that it requires organs (news) Nothing does a race or orders, etc., more good then the same. A great many colored people like to read the papers and when the collector comes around, they will give him a song and dance. Some time in the near future we will reproduce some of our experience in the collection racket. Folks should remember that it requires money to run the machine. Today there is due this paper over $1,000, simply for subscription matter, and yet they all like to see what Brother Chase has to say from time to time.

Owing to the same foolishness that occured in the District of Columbia, the same has happened in Florida, with the result New Grand Lodge, Grand Chapter and Grand Commandery of K. T. etc. How can we blame our white Brethren for the position that they assume towards us as negro Freemasons.

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## News and Comments.

By a careful perusal of a lerrer to the New York Journal Sunday summing up the educational symposium upon the Negro question, it will found that General Joseph H. Wheeler is not only a soldier of exceptional intrepidity, but is a writer as well. In a clear impartial manner he denounces the unmanly views of Thomas Nelson Page and says "That we cannot allow a mass of human beings in this country to remain in ignorance, to do so leaves them the tools of bad, designing and intrigiving men, who for personal advantage work upon their superstitions, prejudices and the worst elements of their nature." Mr. Wheeler is extremely kind, Education is one of the few blessings that should be accorded every citizen and if it be reasonably shown that his capabilty doesn't run in this direction, give him that instruction, which suits best his adoptibility. With the Negro this process has proved its merit without failure. Whe colored commissioned officers in the various immune regiments were appointed during the more recent war, the governors in the different states where the appointments fell, recognized those men who had made the community feel the importance by their unerring and gallant conduct new, who had thoroughly equipped themselves to force the great unknown, a consistency which is difficult to deny. Among the new Justices to be installed the first of January will be Prof. Robert H. Terrell and Lawyer Emanuel Hewlet. No matter which way you might turn the calcium, these two gentlemen can stand the test. Here education, and law become hand maids and force to the very border of ridicule that shattered theory, that teaching the Negro how to live intelligently, makes him a menace to his government. It is true that "Negroes differ widly in intelligence.," Is not the same true of the all supreme white race, and further, of the human family It is as unnecessary to predict that white men will always control negroes as it would be declared that the day is fast approaching, when "The man with the Hoe" will be no more, for until the end of time, the under dog must live and contribute his share to the onward march of human dispensation. We commend Mr. Wheeler for his terse generousness and feel not the slightest disturbed, when he attempts to apologize for his deluded friends.

Mary Wright is once more a free girl. On the fourth of last June, the city of Philadelphia was the scene of a most brutal murder. The tragedy was enacted at 3216 Chestnut Street. Mrs. Hogganbotham resided there. She was found lying at the entrance to her bed room, her head and face cruelly crushed and torn. Mary Wright, a colored domestic in her employ, was suspicioned arrested and tried. She declared innocence to the very last fastening the guilt upon John Hogganbotham, the son of the murdered woman. Miss Wright testified that she saw him enter the house kill his mother and beat her prostrate form with a brick. The testimony of this young woman was corroborated by others to the extent that John Haggonbotham was seen to leave the mansion almost instantly the crime occured. He was arrested but released because of insufficient evidence. The case was called and Mary Wright was put on trial for her life. For several days she sat facing twelve white men stocially expressionless. To the left holding her in close questioning, plead the erudite John S. Durham, fanning lifes breath to the very last District Attorney Rothernal outlined the affair from beginning to end and in a clear stentorian voice implored the jury to do its duty, that was all. It took them just forty minutes. They filed into the court room the foreman announcing that they had agreed upon a verdict. What say you gentlemen of the jury," the clerk returned. "Not guilty" came the unsnering response. Thus a colored girl had been acquitted of a charge involving the murder of a white woman, tried in a Northern court, presided over by a Northern Judge and acquired by twelve white Northern men. The case is quite rare and will easily be noticeable when ever reference becomes necesary. This is at least a gleam of justice.

Mrs. Martha Tucker, principal of the Randall School, was slightly indisposed last week.

Jim Crow cars are soon to be placed upon the streets of Richmond. What influence this sort of conveyance will have upon the riding puplic at, present, we are not prepared to say, but it is truthfully hoped that the colored people for whom this system is especially established will boycott it to a child. It is understood that a bus company will be organized and operated in opposition.

H. EUGENE WILSON.

## THE PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

### Comments of the Afro-American Press.

From the Topeka Plain Dealer.

The omission of the Negro from the president's message, we assume means that the Negro question is past history. The Negro is a man and a citizen—Selah!

From the Sentinel News, Birmingham, Ala.

The president's message is a great document and is muchly commented upon. However, it is talked about, that in it the negro and lynching is not discussed. Well, the president has the bearing and sounding, and knows where he is at and when to act. The message is not his last effective executive shuffle and deal. The Negro's interest in common with all other citizens will doubtless receive due consideration. President Roosevelt is known to act, as well as say.

From the Pine Bluff Weekly Herald.

He said not a word about lynchings, massacres and disfranchisement of colored citizens.

After a careful and scrutenizing perusal of the whole document we failed to find the smallest crumb of comfort for the class of people who saved him at El Caney and whose votes placed him in the White House.

From the Southern Sun, Columbia, S. C.

The President's Message is a very broad and statesman like document. Paid a magnificient tribute to President McKinley; wants a law against anarchist, the navy enlarged, army officers promoted on merit, reciprocity continued, and many other things of which we will speak later.

We admire the unusual omission of the Negro as a class or ward, provided the President sees him as an American Citizen—unless Booker T. Washington ate up the Negroes part of the Message at that Dinner.

From the Eagle, Los Angeles, Cal.

Probably it may be a disappointment to many that, notwithstanding the question of anarchy is ably discussed in all its intricate phases, the question of a large proportion of the citizens South being protected in their rights is not even touched upon. In view of a personal manifest interest in this same class, by the President, this obvious neglect can be readily forgiven.

From the American Guide, Little Rock, Ark.

President Roosevelt should be careful in his tactics of so often turning down the leaders of different states, for history some times repeats itself.

From the Star of Zion, Charlotte, N. C.

Several Negro papers are disappointed because President Roosevelt did not mention the Negro or lynching in his message. This is doubtless not the last message he will write prior to 1904. Wait. Give him time. Then whats the use of mentioning the Negro or lynching if he or Congress is powerle s to help us? The Negro must stop looking to Congress or the Executive Mansion for help, but make friends with the whites among whom he lives and seek redress for persecution or outrages in the courts of the land.

From the Indianapils Recorder.

President Roosevelt's Message was one of the greatest state documents that ever emanated from an executive. He dealt with all important questions Washington Bee.

There you are. We wondered why our chief executive had failed to mention the Negro question, failed to even say that he regretted that our "best citizens" sometimes lynched Negroes; that some of the race prejudices, at least were undeserved, etc. But the Bee seems to have anticipated our thoughts and says "he dealt with all important questions" As Mr. Negro was not important, he will please remain seated.

From the Darien Spectator.

President Theodore Roosevelt's Message was full of rich thoughts and facts but strange to say not a single word was said concerning the Negroes of this country.

From the Dallas Texas.

President Roosevelt's message as long as it was, gave out before that able and bloodless warrior could express himself upon the subject of American lynchings, burnings and outrage. These crimes are some day going to constitute a problem worthy of our splendid statesmanship.

From the Progress.

The President's message as a whole was very good for the purpose for which it was intended, by classifying all citizens equal, but he should have condemed the southern disfranchisement of the Negro voters, such as protected by law, Alabama and Mississippi, and being inforce up to date. We shall say more about the President's message in our next issue.

From the Equator.

The nine million Negroes in the South will be somewhat cast down when they learn that President Roosevelt, who dined Booker Washington has deemed it unwise to mention in his message to congress the fact that practically the whole colored population of several of the Southern states had been disfranchised by recent state legislation.

In view of the determination to test the validity of these new constitutions before the United States supreme court this omission by the president can give no encouragement to those who expected to see these instruments declared null and void.

From the Georgia Baptist.

President Roosevelt's message to Congress is now history. It abounds in evidences of his strong personality, and his independent convictions, while the natural tediousness of the perusal of so voluminous a document is immensely relieved by the entertaining rhetoric which he uses. The document deals with national problems in clear-cut, unmistakable language and stoops to equivocation on nothing. No specfic reference is made to any of the issues involved in the welfare of the Negro in this country, and we are at a loss as far as a definite knowledge of his intentions regarding our people goes, but we feel that it is but just to him that we should await the final outcome of his actions before we pass judgement for his question is too pregnant with considerations which will augur good or ill in their adjustment to make it possible that public men should much longer avoid the issue. The tendency to isolate the Negro and outlaw him civilly is too strong to go much further without forcing the central government to either check the proscription or lend its assistance to its accomplishment.

## DAINTY AND PRETTY

### Daisy Wu, Daughter of Chinese Minister at Washington.

**Just Like a Picture on an Oriental Fan—Will Be Introduced to Society Before the Winter Is Over.**

A Washington telegram to the New York World says that bundled in furs and robes, and resembling nothing so much as rolls of rich cloth, Mme. Wu, her daughter, Miss Daisy, and the two young women of high caste who constitute her suite, arrived at the Chinese legation early the other morning. With them came half a score of servants and almost a carload of baggage.

Minister Wu and all the members of the legation were at the railway station to bid Mrs. Wu and her young charges welcome. As the travelers were assisted from the train all tried to talk at once, except the imperturbable minister himself, who, after singling out his wife and affectionately greeting her, shook hands with the young women who accompanied her.

His daughter, Miss Daisy, who is as dainty as a picture on a silk fan, greeted the minister and then began looking out for the comfort of her mother. All the young women will assist Mrs. Wu in her social duties during the coming season. The daughter will be formally introduced to society at a dinner and dance in the near future.

The ladies chattering volubly in Chinese and French, the party entered carriages and drove to the legation. Just as they arrived Chow Chou, the minister's 14-year-old son, came whizzing under the porte cochere on a bicycle. The young ladies looked at him in wonder. Chow Chou greeted his mother and sister in much the same fashion as any American boy would have done, for this youngster insists that he is an American. After kissing his mother and his sister, Chow Chou stood his bicycle up on the edge of the pavement and watched the two young women of the suite get out of the carriage.

With mincing little steps the women in the party entered the house, where

MISS "DAISY" WU.
(The Charming Little Daughter of the Chinese Minister.)

a great breakfast was served, at which all the attaches of the legation were present and met the members of Mrs. Wu's suite.

Two enormous vanloads of luggage followed the party to the legation. Queer-looking trunks and boxes made of bamboo were piled high, while there were many bundles wrapped in cane, splints and bagging.

When Miss Wu and the members of her mother's suite are introduced formally to society it is expected that the affair will even exceed the magnificent functions usually given at the legation. This is the first time in the history of the Chinese legation that young Chinese women of high caste have been brought to this country for the purpose of entering society.

Mme. Wu is already well and favorably known in social circles, and her daughter and the members of her suite are certain of a most cordial reception.

The young women will experience no difficulty, as, in addition to Chinese, they, like a majority of the members of the diplomatic corps, speak French.

Miss Wu and the two young women of the suite are exceedingly small in stature, but are as fair as many Caucasian belles. All wore their hair brushed straight back. Next to automobiles, electric cars and Chow Chou on his bicycle, the new arrivals manifested the greatest interest in the baby of Shen-Tung, the first secretary, who, with his wife, welcomed them to the legation.

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## THEY SAY.

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The knave cannot succeed.

Don't think because you are noticed that you are the real thing.

Dogs are noticed some times,

Be honest it will pay in the long run.

A dinner stab is the most poisonous.

You have no chance to defend yourself.

It is the coward who stabs you behind your back.

You may think you will succeed, but wait.

When he falls he falls like Lucifer, never to rise again.

Cowards will run and deny their deeds.

No great deed has ever been done by a coward.

Why dont negroes apply for white men's places:

The only man that can win is the brave and honest man.

Don't become intoxicated by false notoriety.

Be what nature made you.

Be a brave man and be admired

You may deny the Southern negro representation but it will react.

The Northern negro will kick against the Southern negroes because he is jealous of him.

It is not the Southern negroes, fault because he is shot down and imprisoned by force.

Stick by your friends it will pay you.

The new code did not accomplish what the bar expected.

Justices Taylor and O'Donnell, two old soldiers were left out.

Who is Callam, but a democrat bar should ask for a suspension of the code.

Mr. Chapin Brown is a lawyer of active thought.

The people are opposed to have the Courts in the Station houses.

Ladies who have civil cases don't want to go to the Station houses.

As there is a provision made or rent, it is quite likely the bar ill oppose the recommendation of Major Sylvester.

Register Lyons safe negro representative.

He is from the South but he doesn't belong to the tattler class.

He is a man and a manly one.

President Mckinley disliked informers and tattlers.

When you see it in THE BEE it is rue.

The Slate of the Board of Trade was smashed.

The man who made the mistake should repent.

Meanness is bound to be exposed.

f you want reliable news read THE BEE.

Beware of the tattler.

### Lion Versus Buffalo.

When Purvis and Clark were exploring in Africa, north of the Zambesi, they saw a large lion stalking a buffalo bull and a calf. In his native wilds the lion is no particular hero, while the African buffalo is one of the most dangerous of the wild things. So Purvis and Clark watched. Suddenly the bull charged, but the lion sprang to one side for an instant, then leaped for the calf. Before the beast could strike, however, the buffalo bull had turned again and charged. The lion, on the defensive, struck at his assailant, but the blow had no effect on the enraged creature. One of the long, cruel horns caught the lion in the side and the creature, weighing more than 400 pounds, was thrown ten feet into the air.—Chicago Tribune.

## MR. SMITH WON OUT.

**After Months of Patient Submission the Worm Turned.**

**And His Strong-Minded Matrimonial Partner Met Her Waterloo—Righteous Fury That Led to Permanent Peace.**

There lives in a small town in western New York, not far from Buffalo, an estimable lady with matrimonial proclivities. She has married three times and is yet barely past middle life.

Her various names have blotted from memory her maiden name, but she became Mrs. Green on entering matrimonial relations with her second husband. Mr. Green died a few months after the marriage, but Mrs. Green did not believe in living single, and she cut short the conventional period of mourning in order to enter unincumbered into negotiations with a well-to-do farmer, who had paid her some attention in her younger days. The affair progressed with eminent satisfaction to both interested parties, and finally culminated in their marriage.

Just one cause of dissension arose to mar their connubial bliss, says the New York Times. The new partner of Mrs. Green's joys and sorrows was known to the world as "Smith." Now, Mrs. Green did not care to descend from the halo of that noble Anglo-Saxon name Green, to the most plebeian ranks of the Smiths. She refused, therefore, to be a silent member in the partnership, and insisted that her friends continue to call her Mrs. Green. Here the trouble arose. Mr. Smith did not like the idea, but he was one of the submissive kind whose ideas do not count. Their friends, however, refused to call her anything but Mrs. Smith.

The submissive husband finally arose in his wrath and applied an effective remedy. The women of the township have a vote on school matters, and a meeting was to be held in the district school, two miles from the Smith farm. The day of the meeting turned out to

HERE THE TROUBLE AROSE.

be stormy, but Mrs. "Green" insisted on going, regardless of the weather. By six o'clock in the evening the roads were under several inches of mud, and the rain was still pouring down. Mr. Smith had his orders, however, and obediently harnessed up his team and drove his wife through the mud two miles to the scholhouse.

The meeting was called to order and the roll taken of the property owners present. Mr. Smith's name was called. He responded with a mild "Here!" His wife's name followed — "Mrs. Smith!" No reply, although that lady sat at her husband's side. She would be "Mrs. Green" or nobody.

Mr. Smith was righteously furious. At the close of the meeting he went to the shed for his team and drove up to the school door. His wife came out to join him for the trip home. As she gathered her skirts to step into the rig Mr. Smith inquired:

"Have you seen Mrs. Smith around here anywhere?"

His wife was somewhat taken aback by this unexpected sally, but recovered herself and replied:

"No! I have seen no such person."

"Oh, excuse me," continued her husband. "I was looking for my wife, but if she isn't here I'll drive along home."

He whipped up his horse and vanished in the darkness, mud flying from wheels and hoofs. His wife stood for several moments looking in the direction he had taken, too much astonished at such an unheard-of exhibition of independence to say a word. When she came to herself the teams had all driven away.

She had ample time to think several things as she trudged alone toward home, through the mud, which came over her ankles at every step, and the steady downpour, which soon soaked her to the skin.

When she finally reached home she was too much exhausted to even assume an injured expression. Her husband was sleeping peacefully, and she did not disturb him. She was "Mrs. Smith" from that day forth.

### Treasures of the Aztecs.

Explorers in the neighborhood of Chama, Guatemala, have discovered treasures during their excavations in search of mines. Coins and jewels, decorating corpses buried centuries ago by the Aztecs and Montezumas, have been found. So far the valuables have amounted to over $50,000. Workmen on the Chama plantations are wild, and have abandoned their usual work to hunt for buried treasures.

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### An English Version.

Mary had a little hen,
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It laid like smoke when eggs were cheap,
But stopped when eggs were dear.

## HONORED IN ORWELL

**Little Ohio Town Is Proud of Gen. Adna R. Chaffee.**

**Present Commander in Chief of the Army in the Philippines Passed the Days of His Boyhood Working on a Farm.**

From a humble country home at Orwell, O., Gen. Adna R. Chaffee climbed out in the world and up the ladder to his present high position—that of commander of the United States army in the Philippine islands—and he is the first private in the regular army to be elevated to such an exalted office. Through his tact and bravery during the charge of El Caney and then in the campaign in China, where he was also commander of the United States forces, his name became a pleasant topic of American conversation, and his friends believe that still greater things are yet to be accomplished for the republic at his hands.

Little did his young companions think as they played with him about snow forts in the fields of Orwell that Adna was some day to command great armies on real battlegrounds. Memories of playmate days, however, go to show that Chaffee's love for things military was very pronounced at the time he was attending the little district school and the old-fashioned Methodist Sunday school of his native locality. In a retrospect of his career his early command of the snowball forces loom up forcibly. He is a born leader of men.

Chaffee's father was a farmer. He also engaged at odd moments in the vocation of cabinet making. The mother possessed all the qualifications of the typical good woman of the early days of the western reserve. She spent much of her time at the spinning wheel and in weaving homespun garments which in childhood were worn by America's great general of to-day, and her greatest ambition was to rear her sons and daughters to be useful men and women. It was not a small family that required the attention of this fond mother. Adna's brothers numbered ten, and there

GEN. ADNA R. CHAFFEE.
(Commander of the American Forces in the Philippines.)

were two sisters. Adna was born in the year 1842.

When Adna was 14 years of age his mother died. Later his father married again. The second wife had also been married before, and was the mother of 12 children. It was a large school attendance furnished by this household, and it was only by the greatest economy and industry that the children were reared and given an educational start. Adna, at the age of 16, went to work on a farm in an adjoining county. Here his proficiency was demonstrated in the corn field and at the plow. What he did he did well, and he accomplished a great deal for a man of his age.

Then, says the Chicago Chronicle, came the days when Chaffee's first opportunity opened to him to join the army, and this he improved, as did likewise two of his brothers. Early in '61 he enlisted in the Sixth United States cavalry. In bidding good-by to his brothers and sisters in going to the front he impressed upon them the determination that under no circumstances would he allow any soldier to excel him in point of perfect performance of his duty, and he never has. Howard Chaffee, a brother, who now resides in Trumbull county, enlisted in the Sixth Ohio cavalry. George Chaffee, another brother, now living in Nashville, Tenn., enlisted in the Twenty-fifth Illinois as a drummer boy in May, 1862, at the age of 19 years. Three months later he was transferred to the Fourteenth Ohio battery of flying artillery, and here served until the close of the war. He was wounded in the battle of Bull Run.

Gen. Chaffee, it will be remembered, was appointed to take command of the army in the Philippines as successor to Gen. MacArthur. The appointment, of course, was made by the late President McKinley, who believed he saw in the rising Chaffee the right man for the place, so important at this time. The ceremonies attending the turning over of the military control to Gen. Chaffee were most elaborate. Later Chaffee made a tour of the islands in order to recommend such changes in the civil government as seemed most necessary.

### Land Occupied by Indians.

In 1890 the area of the national domain occupied by the Indians aggregated 116,000,000 acres; to-day it aggregates 85,000,000 acres, which is about as much land as we have in the states of Ohio, Indiana and Illinois.

### Holds the Baptising Record.

Rev. Mr. Sandford, of Shiloh, Me., recently baptized 218 persons in one hour and 37 minutes.

## THE BLOW LANDED.

**How a Dear Friend Effectually Cured One of Her Close Chums of the Club Habit.**

She doesn't go to her clubs and euchres half as much as she did. People used to say this charming woman spent most of her time at these gatherings. One day, says a writer in the Louisville Times, she called on a dear friend to reprove her for her slackening interest in the club. I believe it was a club for reforming the gas meter or something—anyhow, it was a reform affair.

"Look here, Lizzie," said the enthusiast, "why on earth don't you come to the meetings? Here you are paying your dues and never showing up. You owe it to the club to take an interest in the work."

"But I can't come," explained her friend; "there's the baby, and Henry doesn't come home sometimes till

EXCHANGING CONFIDENCES.

late, and supper must wait, and if he wants to go out I can't go away and leave the children. I would worry myself to death."

"Well, I must say Henry is inconsiderate," said the caller. "Why, there's my husband and children, too. They give me no trouble. Every time I want to go to the club Charlie says he will be glad to stay at home with Bridget and keep an eye on things till I come back. He never objects."

"Maybe," retorted the amiable hostess, "if I had a housegirl as handsome and young as Bridget, Henry would be glad to stay at home, too; but mine is black and goes home at nights."

The blow landed, and Charlie hasn't been asked to look after Bridget and the house since.

## SAVED MASTER'S LIFE.

**Farmer Was Imprisoned Under Fallen Tree and Dog Took One of His Boots Home.**

According to a Susquehanna (Pa.) correspondent of the New York World, John Reegan, a farmer of Gulf Summit, went out upon a hill near his house Thursday to cut down trees, taking with him his dog Tiger. He cut a tall oak, which fell in such a way that it knocked him down and imprisoned him in a little depression. Had it not been for the depression his life would have been crushed out, but as it was he was held a prisoner, and struggle as he would he could not free himself.

He shouted and his dog appeared. Tiger apparently realized at once the

HIS DOG APPEARED.

dangerous predicament in which his master was placed, and saw the fact that he could do no good on the spot. He tugged awhile at the imprisoned man, and then started off for home on a wild rush.

Arriving at the farm house, he set up such a howling that the attention of every one on the place was attracted to him. All wondered what could be the matter with him, never suspecting the true cause of the trouble. No attention was paid to his noises except to scold him.

The dog now made off back to where his master lay, and a few moments later was again heard howling at the farm house door. The first person who approached him saw that he had one of his master's boots in his mouth, and it was at once surmised that something was wrong with Reegan and that the intelligent brute was trying to convey a message.

The dog barked with delight when several of the farm hands set off with him to see what was up. The men found Reegan almost unconscious and suffering greatly. The unfortunate man was released, and was found to have suffered no serious injury.

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**Clever Variety Actor Accomplishes Unique Stunt at the Masonic Temple in Chicago.**

John Bedini and his fork were matched against the laws of gravitation and a turnip the other day and the former combination received the decision. Bedini is an Englishman whose duty just at present is to entertain patrons of a Chicago theater. The actor let slip the remark that he could catch a turnip hurled from the top of the Masonic temple in that city upon a fork held in his mouth. Fellow members of the profession declared they had $1,000 to bet on the

CATCHING THE TURNIP.

turnip, and Bedini saw a chance to make a little easy money.

The feat was accomplished in the presence of a crowd which filled the street on the west side of the Masonic temple. Bedini was to have three trials and the vegetables were wrapped tightly in yarn to prevent their splitting into a thousand pieces when they struck a solid substance.

When the turnips were hurled from the top of the high building, Bedini danced about until he secured a position directly under the swiftly falling objects. The first one missed his head by an inch, thereby saving his features from disfigurement. The second landed upon the jointed projections of a steel band worn about his forehead, while the third landed squarely upon the prongs of the fork held firmly between his teeth.

Bedini staggered under the force of the blow, but declared soon afterward that a headache and a slight shock to his teeth were the only bad results of his contest with the turnips. It was thought that a check for $1,000 would soon cure these slight disabilities.

## CALLED BY TELEPATHY.

**Man Led to Rescue of a Friend Seventy Miles Away by a Strange Intuition.**

Some time ago two young men from New York city came to Alliance, Neb., in search of health. One of them, Edward Loomis, got a place on the Spade ranch, about 40 miles east of that town. The other, J. H. Blair, was employed about 30 miles north, on the Niobrara river. Last Friday Loomis while riding the range was thrown from his horse, and on rising was kicked by it, and both bones of his right leg were fractured below the knee. He was left helpless on the prairie. He lay out all night Friday, all day Saturday and all Saturday night, having drawn himself fully

FOUND HIS FRIEND.

four miles backward on his hands after his injury.

Sunday morning his friend, at least 70 miles away, felt that something was going wrong with Loomis, and he started for the Spade ranch, to reach which he must ride down one of four long valleys, which centered at the ranch headquarters. It so happened that he chose one which took him past where his friend Loomis was lying in an exhausted condition, having only strength sufficient to attract attention by swinging his hat. He was taken at once to Ellsworth and brought to Alliance, where he was placed in the hospital. He is now doing as well as could be expected. A frightful time he had with hunger and cold, as his gloves and coat were on the saddle and were carried away by the horse at the time of his injury.

**Some Good Swedish Customs.**

In some of the hotels in Sweden women are entertained at less cost than men, because, as a rule, they do not eat so much. A man and wife are charged as one and one-half persons if they occupy the same room. A husband and wife may travel as one and one-half persons by railway.

## HEIGHT OF ROMANCE

**It Is Attained by Prisoners in the Jails of Paris.**

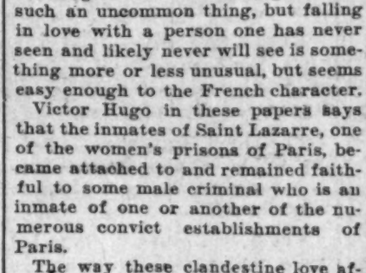
**Stone Walls Prove No Bar to Love—Male Criminals Make Advances to Female Jailbirds They Have Never Seen.**

That "stone walls do not a prison make, nor iron bars a cage," is the moral to be gathered from some posthumous papers and sketches by Victor Hugo. Love at first sight is not such an uncommon thing, but falling in love with a person one has never seen and likely never will see is something more or less unusual, but seems easy enough to the French character.

Victor Hugo in these papers says that the inmates of Saint Lazarre, one of the women's prisons of Paris, became attached to and remained faithful to some male criminal who is an inmate of one or another of the numerous convict establishments of Paris.

The way these clandestine love affairs are carried on is romantic to the highest degree. In every one of the convict establishments of Paris there is always some man among the prisoners who can draw. Now if three prisoners confer together and plan to begin a wooing of some of the inmates of Saint Lazare they have the artist of the prison make a drawing on a handkerchief of three flowers, say, a geranium, a tulip and a rose. Each flower is numbered with the number of the prisoner who has selected it as his emblem.

The drawing is sent to Saint Lazarre through the mysterious means of communication between the various prisons that the police are powerless to prevent. The picture circulates through Saint Lazarre, and in due time a communication is returned to the convict prison that Fi Fi 3,456 has chosen the geranium, Marie 821 the tulip and Fanchette 895 the rose, and that these women have repeated to themselves vows to take the convicts


"BEHOLD ME!"

whose emblems they have adopted as their husbands.

"Never," says Hugo, "is this lugubrious handkerchief thrown into the seraglio without being picked up."

The women prisoners firmly convince themselves that they are married to the male convicts, and when they are released go to work saving money which they send to the prison to be used in procuring comforts and dainties for the spouses they have never seen and whose names even they do not know.

The author tells of the murder of a money changer named Joseph and the incarceration of the two murderers in St. Force penitentiary. Shortly after this a bouquet containing among other flowers a sprig of white lilacs was sent to St. Lazare. One of the women prisoners selected the white lilacs and repeated to herself vows taking for her husband the unknown individual who had chosen the white lilacs for his emblem.

In a month or two the woman prisoner was released, and being completely enamored of her unknown lord and master went desperately to work to secure funds to send to her husband in St. Force. In order the better to affiance herself to her unknown husband she secured a sprig of white lilacs and dividing it sent half to the prisoner in St. Force and put the other half at the head of her bed.

This woman, like all Paris, had heard of the murder of the money lender, and of the two Italians, Malagutti and Ratta, arrested for the crime, but she thought little about the crime and lived only in her white lilac.

One bright sunny day as she was sitting in her room sewing she glanced up at the white lilac hanging above her head. The clock at that moment was striking four, and as she gazed at the lilac she fancied she saw an extraordinary thing. A drop of crimson blood oozed from the heart of the white lilac and dropped down on the white sheet of the bed. The next day the woman learned that at four o'clock of the previous afternoon Malagutti and Ratta had been hung. It was evident that the white lilac was one of these men. But which one?

The hapless girl became violently insane and was confined in La Salpetriere, where she died. Morning and night before her death she clung to the bars of her cell and jibbered:

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Whenever a colored man from the outside is appointed to an office in the District of Columbia a cry is made that—there should be home rule. When the District Commissioners appointed Mr. Haskell, of Ohio, Sealer of Weights and Measures, strictly a District Office, nothing was said about him coming from another State, except the mere mention that he was from Ohio.

Since an outsider has to be appointed to the office of Recorder of Deeds, no better man and none more acceptable than Mr. John C. Dancey can be found. He will make an excellent official. He is qualified and again he is a gentleman. Of course Mr. Dancey will conduct his office in a business like manner. As Collector of the Port at Wilmington, N. C., Mr. Dancey has made an efficient officer.

There were quite a number of colored men in this city candidates for the place, and particularly Mr. John F. Cook. He has been an office holder and an office seeker ever since the foundation of our local government. He is rich and still he wants an office. He is the owner of a large hotel in this city, situated on the corner of 14th and H streets, northwest It is true that Mr. Cook is a negro and has been identified with the people in this city for a number of years. THE BEE knows that he would have been more objectionable to the colored people than Mr. Dancey, who is a North Carolinian. Mr. Dancey is as well known in this city as Mr. Cook is and more so, and so far as the colored are concerned, is more popular and of greater benefit to his people. The BEE favors home rule, where all classes of citizens are treated alike. The appointment of Mr. Dancey is no surprise to the BEE It was known to the BEE several days ago that Mr. Cheatham would not be appointed and that Senator Pritchard had recommended Mr. Dancey. Negroes as well as the white people in the District of Columbia are political nonenties and no matter what they want, they fail to get.

Mr. Booker T. Washington was about to come in and take a hand in the Recordership fight. Not being satisfied with mixing up in the Justice of the Peace fight, he was anxious to take a hand in this What rights have the people of the District of Colubia that—outsiders, or even, the President is bound to respect? Home rule! What right have the people to talk about such a rule? President Roosevelt, whether he is following the footsteps of Mr. Cleveland or not, he didn't regard the wishes of the people in the appointment of a successor to Hon. Henry P. Cheatham.

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The enemy was defeated in the Recordership fight.

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The trap was set for Cheatham but the other rats were caught.

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Senator Pritchard was loyal to the Recorder.

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A white man's Republican party will not succeed Smith.

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Is it not time for the negroes of this country to think for themselves?

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The citizens of this city have no say in their local affairs.

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Don't be alarmed because a gun goes off.

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The New Code will go into effect January 1, 1902.

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Mr. Creslin, of Missouri, will go to Liberia. He will be given a chance to civilize the natives.

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Senator Hanna will retain the Chairmanship of the National Committee.

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It is about time for a few appointments to be made in the District Government.

## What I Saw nd Herd.

I had a talk with collector Dancey a few days ago. He is a jolly good fellow and will no doubt make a good recorder of deeds.

The Hotel Brunswick is becoming to be a popular institution. It is certaintly being conducted in first class style,

The Second Baptist Church Lyceum was entertained on last unday afternoon by Mr. Thomas L. Jones. He read a very good paper. He was highly complimented on his speech.

Recorder Cheatham has gone bird hunting. The recorder has his eyes on Congress and he will no doubt make it. You can never guess him. He is in good spirits and will come again some day.

The demoeratic party will put a new ticket in the field in 1904. Chairman Hanna will no doubt put a new Richmond in the field.

Notwithstanding the protests the local press made, President Roosevelt appointed an outsider What rights have the people in this district that any administration is bound to respect?

The colored people would be pleased to see a few colored firemen appointed. There are but few colored men in that department and none have been appointed for several years.

The Afro-American council held a meeting this week and resolved o kill anothor good cause.

Well there were no ends to candidates for recordership. Jessie Lawson of New Jersey imagined that he was really entitled to th place and he had nerve to apply for it. Booker T. Washington indorsed him or was about to indorse him so it is reported. Mr. John F. Cook the colored moneyed king was also a candidate. Just whe Mr. Cook wants an office no ony has been able to tell. There is only room for practical politicians now.

The Judge of the Police Court will not be disturbed. The Attorney General has said that the new code doesn't effect them.

If the negroes would retire from politics the white people would fight among themselves.

Mr. Peyton Gorden was introduced in Criminal Court No. 1 the other day and won the first two cases. He is gentlemanly and is fast learning the foxy methods of a prosecutor. The Bee congratulates the young prosecutor on his success.

There are several candidates for the High School principalship. Dr. Bruce Evans leads and ought to be appointed, He is a dignified gentleman and a young man popular among the people. The Prof. Weatherless should succeed to Dr. Evans in the Industrial Department. Both men are qualified.

ROUNDER.

## CULLOM'S SHREWDNESS.

**How the Senior Senator from Illinois Silenced a Man Who Asked Annoying Questions.**

Shelby M. Cullom has been one of the political leaders of Illinois for so many years that few remember when he was not prominent. He is like all successful politicians in his ability to conciliate opposition and win support. The Saturday Evening Post tells a story of the way he makes friends for himself and his party. It says that during the campaign of 1900 he was making many speeches. As he faced a large audience, in his home city of Springfield, he saw in the audience a fellow townsman who had formerly been an influential republican, but who had joined the opposing party and displayed a dangerous activity in its support. This man arose from his seat and apparently was ready to begin a series of "catch questions." Before his intention could be put into execution Senator Cullom paused in his speech, and, in a conversational tone, called out:

"John Simpson, you're too old a man to stand up in any audience that I talk to; just come right up here and hold down this chair next to mine."

The invitation was accepted, and at the close of the mass meeting the man announced that he was "back to the fold" and had "come to stay."

**City of Polyglot Churches**

Buda-Pesth, Hungary, has 50 churches in which divine service is conducted in 12 different languages.

## A NATION'S NEGLECT.

### Tomb of William Henry Harrison in a State of Ruin.

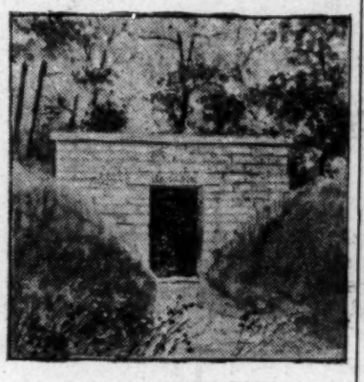
**It Is Located at North Bend, O., Not Far from Cincinnati—Should Be Marked by an Appropriate Monument.**

Cincinnati has perpetuated the memory of one of Ohio's bravest soldiers and most distinguished statesmen with a handsome monument—the artistic equestrian statue of Gen. William Henry Harrison, that commands the Vine street entrance to Garfield place. At North Bend, O.—the place where the dead statesman lived at the time he was elected president—his ashes lie in a tomb which is in a state of neglect. That fact speaks but illy of the respect which the nation shows for the memory of those who helped to make it great.

The insignificant tomb stands on a little knoll and overlooks the broad, tawny Ohio river, which there makes a wide sweep to the southward. An ideal location for the eternal home of one who loved the spot, even as dearly as he loved his country.

A dreary looking tomb it is at its best. No one could have planned an abode more architecturally severe. The cold gray granite, damp and dank, peers from the ground like the rude foundation for some house which was never built. Over the iron door of the vault—which is reached by a path through a small cut in the hillside—stands the legend "Harrison." The door itself seems imbedded in the stone wall, unpainted and rusty, and marked and marred with the scratchings of vandals. Names are scrawled across it—names of those who are unknown, and whom no one need know. A rusty iron lock, which might be smashed with one blow, is all that keeps the door fastened and prevents the vandals from further desecrating the abode of Harrison.

The path leading to the door is littered with rubbish and underbrush. Hosts of weeds mar the beauty of the green turf from which they spring. No one cares, or seems to care, how the spot stands as a monument, not to the soldier-statesman's worth, but



THE HARRISON TOMB.
(Located at North Bend, O., Not Far from Cincinnati.)

of the seeming ingratitude of republics.

Recently Hon. Jacob H. Bromwell visited the spot, and there paid an eloquent tribute to the ex-president's worth. Struck by the desolation of the scene, he afterward said to a Cincinnati Enquirer reporter:

"When I visited the tomb of Gen. William Henry Harrison I was filled with feelings of sadness and regret to think that the grave of the man who did so much for the civilization of the northwest territory should be in an open field, neglected of human hands and without a befitting stone to mark the location of the honored ashes.

"The railing that once inclosed the general's long home has fallen away, and the silent habitation is certainly a dreary abode, but an insignificant construction of masonry and one broad slab are all that punctuate the desolate waste. It seems to me that the grave of Gen. William Henry Harrison should be marked by a shaft of marble that could be seen for 20 miles up and down the river, and when congress convenes I shall introduce a bill providing an appropriation for such a monument."

**Their Hunting Dog a Goat.**

Charles Hileman and William Cartwright, of Anderson, Ind., wire nail workers, started out before daybreak for a hunt. Hileman has a fine bird dog, and his son has a goat. The dog and the goat are about the same size and sleep in the barn. The barn was dark at the time the rig was got out for the hunting trip. After all was ready Hileman went into a dark corner to pick up the dog, which he supposed was asleep. He got the goat instead, and not observing his mistake, put "Billy" into the rear of the wagon. After the wagon has pumped over the roads two miles from town the goat gave a plaintive bleat, and the hunters hurried back to town, but too late to cover up the joke. The dog was still asleep in the barn.

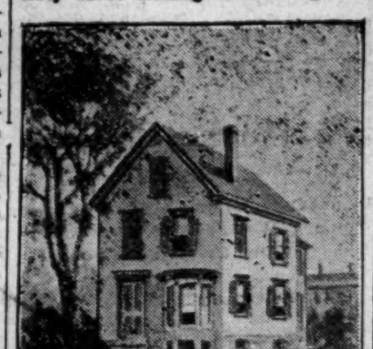
**Bactrian Camels Are Tough.**

Traveleres in Siberia have noticed with much surprise the ability of the native camels to withstand, without protection, the greatest extremes of cold and heat. In winter the thermometer on the Mongolian plateau sometimes drops to 40 degrees Fahrenheit, yet the camels wander about with no evidence of suffering. On the other hand, the Russian explorer Prejevalski, found the temperature of the ground in the Gobi desert in summer to be more than 140 degrees Fahrenheit, but the camels are ap- [illegible] degrees [illegible] waters [illegible]

## SCIENCE AND HEALTH.

**House in Which Mrs. Eddy Wrote Her Famous Book to Be Made a Place of Worship.**

The house at Lynn, Mass., where Mrs. Mary Baker G. Eddy wrote her famous book, "Science and Health," the law and the gospel of the great Christian Science church, of which she is the originator and head, has just been purchased by her faithful followers in that city, and will be preserved as a memorial to their revered teacher. It is to be remodeled into a church. There was talk of tearing it down and building a modern church edifice, but the majority of the society favor making such changes as



CHRISTIAN SCIENCE SHRINE.
(House at Lynn, Mass., Where Mrs. Eddy Wrote Her Book.)

will provide a place of worship, and at the same time keep intact as a memorial the room where the creed was born.

The house is 12 Broad street, centrally located, and an ideal location for church purposes. It is the Mecca of thousands of pilgrims, who come from far and near. At present it is occupied by two families, and they have both been so beset by visitors that they have finally been obliged, in self-defense, to forbid inspection of the interior of the premises, except in rare cases, where people have traveled exceptionally long distances with this in view. The upper tenement is occupied by a Mrs. Cole, and the tide of travel turns more naturally in her direction than to the lower part of the house, from the fact that the room "Mother" Eddy occupied, and where she performed her task, is in the upper tenement.

The room which is the subject of such solicitation is plain, small, and at the present time occupied by a Swedish domestic, who appears sublimely indifferent to her surroundings. It is lighted by a small gable window and a skylight in the roof, which is to be seen in the picture. One door opens into the hallway and the other leads to a small closet. The view is practically confined to the glimpse of the next housetop, which may be obtained through the skylight by dint of craning one's neck, and the beauties of a lane, which may be seen from the rear window. There was certainly nothing to distract Mrs. Eddy's attention from the work in hand. Whatever else is changed in remodeling the house, it is likely that this room will be preserved as a memento of the woman and her work, which has gathered such an array of followers since it has been under way.

## BOSTON MAN HONORED.

**Rev. Charles H. Brent Chosen Bishop of the Episcopal Church for the Philippine Islands.**

Rev. Charles H. Brent, of Boston, Mass., who has accepted the Episcopal bishopric of the Philippine

REV. CHARLES H. BRENT.
(Protestant Episcopal Bishop of the Philippine Group.)

islands, was born in Newcastle, Ont., in 1862, and is the son of Rev. Canon Brent, of St. James' Episcopal cathedral, Toronto. He studied in the Trinity college school at Port Hope and later at the University of Trinity college, Toronto, where he received his degree in 1884. In 1886 he was ordained deacon and was raised to the priesthood in 1887 at Toronto.

Rev. Mr. Brent's first clerical labor was at St. Paul's cathedral in Buffalo, where he passed the first year after his ordination. From Buffalo he went to Boston to work in St. John the Evangelist's parish, Bowdoin street, under Rev. Father Hall. While at St. John's Rev. Mr. Brent had charge of the colored congregation at St. Augustine's church. He interested philanthropists in the colored people, and made possible the present handsome house of worship.

After the elevation of Bishop Hall to the diocese of Vermont, Rev. Mr. Brent was transferred to St. Stephen's church on Florence street, and has devoted himself to the missionary work of that parish since.

## THE POPE'S INCOME.

### It Is Obtained from Peter's Pence and Audience Fees.

**Total Amounts to About One Million Dollars a Year, Leaving a Deficit of Half a Million Altogether Unaccounted For.**

The financial position of the papacy after the loss, in 1870, of the temporal dominions of the church, is a question with which many outsiders have grappled, but which no one can answer with any degree of accuracy. There are no estimates discussed and no financial statements made in the vatican; the pope is his own chancellor of the exchequer; he furnishes the necessary funds for the administration of the Holy See, and money matters are settled by him with his accountants under a triple seal of secrecy.

Still, says the Cincinnati Commercial Tribune, during the last 30 years of papal seclusion in the apostolic palace many data have leaked out on which an approximate estimate can be formed, if not of the income, certainly of the expenditure of the Holy See.

When Rome became the capital of Italy the new government did not interfere with the benefices of the secular clergy and though friaries and nunneries have been suppressed, their inmates have been provided for from a special government fund. Since then other congregations have cropped up under foreign auspices to such an extent that the religious orders in Rome, including the wealthy Jesuits, are said to own property to the amount of £12,000,000 sterling. Consequently the lower clergy, far from proving a drain on the papal treasury, help materially to its replenishment.

The cardinals are mostly archbishops, and draw their revenue from their sees. Only some 25 eminences are Curia cardinals, who reside in the Eternal City, and act as ministers to the pontiff in the government of the

CARDINAL PAROCCHI.
(Vice Chancellor of the Holy Propaganda at Rome.)

universal church. Each of them draws a yearly salary of £1,000.

The pope, whose temporal sovereignty is now restricted to the Vatican and Lateran palace, which are recognized as extra-territorial by the Italian government, has not given up his claims on his lost provinces of central Italy. He has nuncios and apostolic legates in most of the Christian states whose duties are not limited, in Catholic countries, to mere ecclesiastical affairs; he keeps a skeleton army of two or three hundred men for parade purposes on the occasion of grand receptions; and has a numerous retinue of prelates and chamberlains and a staff of employes.

The chamberlains and military officers are rich laymen with nominal salaries, but the Curia cardinals, the diplomats, the majority of the court prelates, and all the subordinate employes cost money, and it is asserted by people in a position to know, that the papal court and diplomacy cost his holiness not less than £300,000 a year.

It is relatively easy to total the expenditure, but the income is a problem bristling with difficulties.

When Pius IX. refused with indignation the annual subsidy of £140,000 offered him in 1870 by the Italian invaders he was known to possess, invested in foreign stocks, about £1,000,000 sterling. This investment has been since then gradually increased by another £500,000, and it yields at present a revenue of not less than £50,000.

The institution of the Obolo—Peter's pence—a revival of an old tax over Christendom, collected in all the bishoprics of the Catholic world—gave, in the first years, an ample revenue, which, however, has now insensibly dwindled to about £60,000 per annum. Efforts, strenuous efforts, have been made to stir up the generosity of the faithful, and jubilees, beatifications of saints, pilgrimages and other religious gatherings follow each other in rapid succession. The great papal jubilee is ascertained to have brought to the papal coffers in round numbers £160,000, but in ordinary years those papal celebrations only add some £40,000 to the income of the holy father.

Other sources of revenue are special audiences granted by his holiness. Every devout Catholic admitted to see the pope and receive his blesing is expected to leave a sum of money with the prelate on duty in the ante-chamber, and these special audiences are frequent, often weekly, sometimes daily, and cannot bring less than another £50,000 a year. A well-known English duke, for instance, is reported to leave a thousand sovereigns whenever he visits the pope.

So far an income of £200,000 is approximately accounted for, but how and where the balance is scraped together to meet the admitted yearly outlay of £700,000 is beyond the ken of ordinary mortals.

## UNIQUE GRAVESTONE.

**Lusty Crowing Cock Represented on the Monument of a German Poultry Fancier.**

During a conversation with a friend which took place a few weeks before his death Herr J. Oettel, the well-known German breeder of fowls, expressed a desire that a crowing cock be represented on his tombstone, and his desire has now been gratified, a splendid monument of the kind desired, and which is the work of the sculptor Schnauder, having been erected in his native place, Goerlitz. A crowing cock is the dominant figure on this unique memorial.

Oettel deserved this distinction, for during the last half century he has

THE OETTEL MONUMENT.
(Lusty Crowing Cock Represented on a Fancier's Tombstone.)

done more than anyone to improve the breeds of domestic fowls in Germany. A merchant by profession, he lived to be 86 years old, and when he was not engaged in business or in doing the duties of some public office—and for 44 years he held some office in Goerlitz—he spent his time in studying the best methods of keeping and improving the various breeds of domestic poultry.

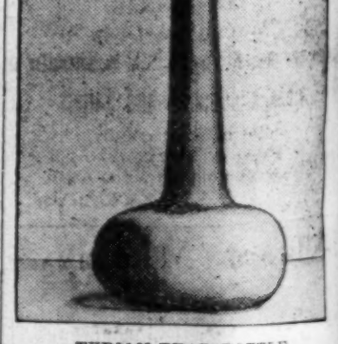
In 1852 he founded a Poultry union, which has proved a great success, and in 1857 he started a poultry paper, which has done good service in instructing German farmers and breeders how to take care of their fowls. In a word, he raised the rooster and the hen in Germany to a dignity which they had never attained before, and hence it is not unfitting that a striking symbol of his lifework should be sculptured in marble over his grave.

## TYRIAN TEAR BOTTLE.

**Found Not Long Ago in a Tomb Near the Ancient Capital of the Phoenician Kings.**

Ancient civilized races observed great care in the disposal of their dead, very frequently placing them in rock-hewn tombs and surrounding them with objects they had known and prized during life, or articles it was believed they would know in the spirit world. Flasks containing the tears shed by the mourners were also placed in the tombs. The tear bottle shown in the illustration was found in a tomb near the site of Tyre, one of the principal cities of Phoenicia. This city was destroyed by Alexander the Great in the year 332 B. C.

Glassmaking was one of the arts in which the Phoenicians excelled. They were also famous for their embroidery and for purple dyeing, employing for



TYRIAN TEAR BOTTLE.
(Contained Tears Shed by Mourners Thousands of Years Ago.)

the latter purpose the mollusks yielding the famous Tyrian purple. It is believed they learned glassmaking from the Egyptians, who had practiced the art from the earliest times.

Doubtless Phoenician glass was clear and transparent or nearly so when made. When found to-day it has usually lost this characteristic in marked degree, and gained a beautiful pearly appearance and iridescence. The change is attributed to the action of dampness and other natural causes operating through centuries. The disintegration of the surface layers of the glass takes place and the light is refracted in such a way that the iridescent effect is produced.

**Three Hundred Thousand Strong.**

In 79 separate and distinct national cemeteries the bodies of nearly 300,000 soldiers who died during the civil war are interred. Some of the cemeteries contain each a silent army of over 10,000 soldiers, in serried ranks, marked by the white headstones, on nearly half of which is inscribed "Unknown."

**Good News for Old Maids.**

The enumeration of 1900 shows that there are more men and boys than women and girls in this country, and that the difference exceeds 1,300,000 in a population of 76,303,387. The excess appears more distinctly, perhaps, when it is said that there are 513 males and only 488 females in every 1,000 people in the United States.

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The Paris theaters give away an average of 8,500 free tickets daily.

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It is said that Pietro Mascagni, the Italian composer, has signed a contract for an eight weeks' tour in this country with an Italian orchestra, beginning early in the fall, for which he is to receive $90,000.

Mme. Melba is a great lover of the River Thames, and for the third year in succession has taken a charming little house at Marlow, above London, in the Quarry Woods, with a [illegible] to the

From the Progress.

President Roosevelt did not touch on the proposed gigantic Negro lynching combine in his message to congress as predicted. Probably he had been advised that it would be unnecessary; that the scheme was impractical and could not be carried out.

Col. Stewart M. Lewis entertained quite a number of friends at his house last Saturday evening. It was a magnificent affair. Those present are loud in their praises of the courtesies extended by Mr. and Mrs. Lewis and Miss Cropper.

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# THE PARSON'S TALE

## A Fish Story Which Is True in Every Particular.

### Every Lover of Romance Will Take a Singular Interest in the Simple Narrative of This Truly Truthful Man.

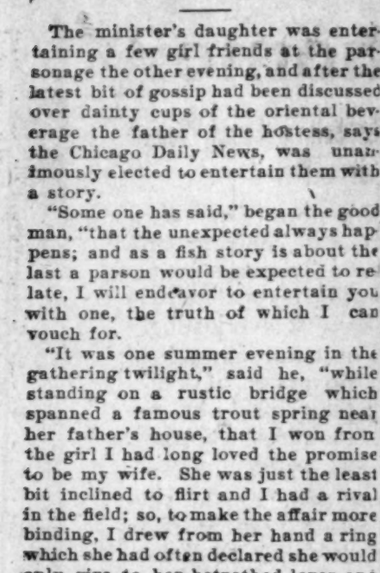
The minister's daughter was entertaining a few girl friends at the parsonage the other evening, and after the latest bit of gossip had been discussed over dainty cups of the oriental beverage the father of the hostess, says the Chicago Daily News, was unanimously elected to entertain them with a story.

"Some one has said," began the good man, "that the unexpected always happens; and as a fish story is about the last a parson would be expected to relate, I will endeavor to entertain you with one, the truth of which I can vouch for.

"It was one summer evening in the gathering twilight," said he, "while standing on a rustic bridge which spanned a famous trout spring near her father's house, that I won from the girl I had long loved the promise to be my wife. She was just the least bit inclined to flirt and I had a rival in the field; so, to make the affair more binding, I drew from her hand a ring which she had often declared she would only give to her betrothed lover and transferred it to my own finger.

"'It was my mother's engagement ring,' she said, half playfully and half in earnest, 'and there is a bit of superstition connected with it. So long as you keep and wear it we are engaged; but if you lose it or part with it in any way the engagement is broken. So, as you value my love, take good care of it.'

"A week later she went away on a visit, and then my only consolation was to haunt that favorite spot on the bridge which had been our trysting place. Once while leaning over the railing and thinking of our engagement I took from my finger the treasured ring and gazed fondly on the initials—hers as well as her mother's—engraved within. In attempting to replace it, however, the golden circle fell from



THERE WAS A SUDDEN JERK.

my grasp and disappeared in the waters below.

"Only a youthful lover under such circumstances can imagine my feelings. Day and night I mourned, disconsolate, my lost treasure. Yet, strange to say, I had a strange presentiment or intuition that the ring would be restored to me, though by what means I had not the faintest idea.

"Not long after, while fishing in the same stream a short distance below the bridge, I fell to thinking of the lost ring. If I could only fish it up—and just then there was a quiver, a sudden jerk and a struggle at my line, and after some play I drew out a fine trout. At the sight of him the thought suddenly and uncontrollably flashed into my mind that the ring—my lost ring—was to be found in his body. I cannot account for the feeling, but I know it was heightened to almost a conviction, when, upon grasping the trout, I perceived on one side of his body a singular protuberance and felt something like a hard, foreign substance beneath the surface.

"Eagerness had made me cruel, and, seizing my pocketknife, I cut off the victim's head, and then with unsteady hands I ripped the body open. My knife grated against something hard, and—yes, I caught the glitter of some shining substance. Imagine my feelings when, with beating heart and trebmling hand, I drew forth—"

"The ring! The ring!" breathlessly exclaimed the girls in chorus.

"No, indeed," continued the truthful narrator, "only a piece of green glass. The ring never was found."

"And what became of the girl, papa?" eagerly asked his daughter.

"For the past 17 years, my dear," the good man replied, as with a merry twinkle in his eyes he glanced toward the other end of the table, "she has filled with satisfaction the pleasant but somewhat responsible position of mother to you."

### Hanged Herself in Public.

A strange story comes from China of the public suicide of a Chinese woman at Foo Chow. She resolved on the deed after the death of her husband, and informed the public of her intention. The taotai endeavored to prevent her, and on account of typhoon and floods the suicide was twice postponed, but all efforts failed to divert the woman from her purpose, and, bedecked in her finest clothes, she publicly hanged herself on a platform before which stood several hundred spectators.

# THE MORMON FAITH.

## Polgamy Still Is Its Keynote and Strongest Hold.

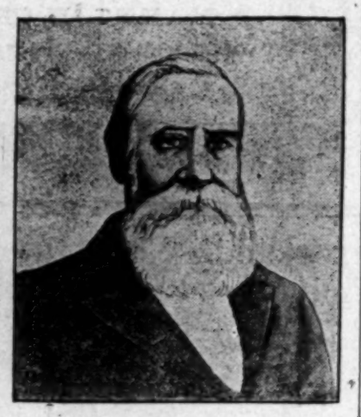
### So Says Dr. Sarah Elliott Who Is About to Make a Tour for the Purpose of Spreading Anti-Polygamy Propaganda.

Dr. Sarah J. Elliott, of Utah, is about to make a tour of Colorado for the purpose of spreading an anti-polygamy propaganda. She is a deaconess of the Episcopal church, and is lecturing for the league that is urging a constitutional amendment to prohibit polygamy.

"Two thousand Mormon elder priests," said Dr. Elliott to a New York World correspondent, "are now in every state and territory of the union, seeking by misrepresenting the actual conditions and teachings of the Mormon faith to create outside of Utah public sentiment more advantageous to the system than it could possibly secure if the whole truth were known. In view of these and many similar facts, I am appealing to the patriotic women of our country who successfully labored to prevent a polygamist from entering congress.

"In Utah there is no separation of church and state. The church of the Latter Day Saints, or the Mormon church, is so magnificently organized they are prepared to work anywhere. The subject of polygamy is never mentioned in the missionary work of the elders, who are sent out all over the world to make converts; but when the women and girls are landed in Salt Lake they are informed that only through marriage can their souls be saved, and blindly they walk into the trap. In every other state polygamy is a degradation, while in Utah it is an exaltation. The Mormon's system of ethics has produced abnormal women.

"A premium of 160 acres of land is offered as an inducement to women and young girls to leave their homes and country and settle in Utah; in



JOSEPH H. SMITH.
(President of the Church of Latter Day Saints.)

this manner many tracts of land are acquired by the man who marries four or more wives. It was generally supposed that the unseating of Roberts in congress would be a deathblow to pojlygamy, but this is a mistaken idea, as the power of the Mormon church is growing stronger all the time. As Senator Hoar remarked, there is growing in Utah a power so great that unless we check it now the time will come when we will have to fall down and worship it.

"Many years ago, when George Q. Cannon was indignantly turned down in congress and returned to Utah, Brigham Young, in his sermon to his followers in the tabernacle, said: 'Never mind; we will have a voice yet in the American congress and force polygamy down their throats.'

"In violation of the pledges of Mormon leaders made before statehood, the president of the Mormon church is now living publicly in his official residence in Salt Lake City with the last acquisition to his polygamous household. An effort to secure his prosecution has failed. Many who at first obeyed the law and ceased their unlawful cohabitation have followed the president's example and resumed their polygamous relationships, and are having children by plural wives.

"This polygamous element is the dominant power in the church and in the politics of the state, as public sentiment against the state laws makes them practically unenforceable. It is almost impossible to induce officials elected by Mormon votes to enforce the law. The polygamous priesthood, thoroughly organized, directs the conscience of the Mormon people, and through political influence thus acquired controls the official conduct of the office holders.

"Not only have a number resumed polygamous relationship, but the best of circumstantial evidence points to the unmistakable conclusion that Apostles John W. Taylor, George Teasdale, the late Apostle Abram H. Cannon and other prominent Mormon ecclesiastics have taken new plural wives.

### The Cow and the Camera.

Here is a sagacious cow that attended promptly to a little matter of business, and deserves a blue ribbon. At Bloomfield, N. J., the other day an amateur photographer stole a march on some girls as they were frolicking in a stream on the Dodd estate. The camera was all adjusted for an exposure, and the photographer ducked beneath the black cloth. A cow apparently took in the situation just in the nick of time, and busked the camera fairly and sent it flying. Then she turned to the man and chased him over a rail fence, standing guard until the girls had donned their clothes and escaped.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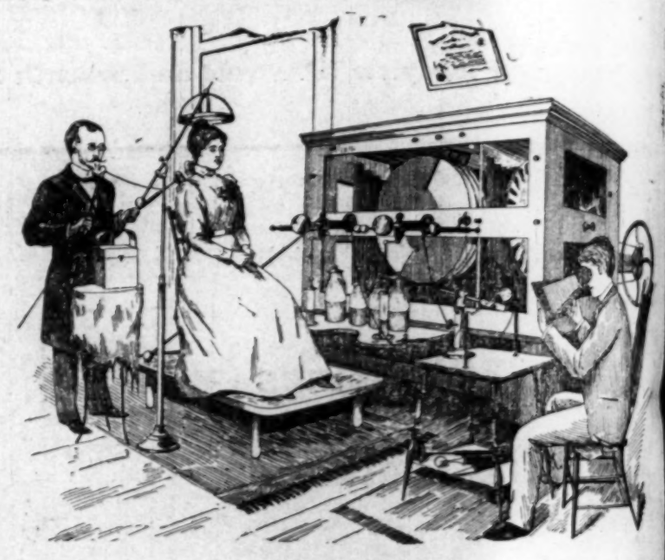

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By Miss May Clematis.

It is dangerous to be introduced to people you don't know.

Some girls like to be known and be regarded popular.

Popularity will not earn you a living

It is the industrious girl that succeeds.

Don't marry a man with the expectation of sitting down all the time.

Be honest it will carry you successfully through life.

It is better to take your mother as a companion rather than be dependent.

Beauty is only a skin deep and it is like a rose. It is bound to fade.

Talk kindly to you friends, and you will retain their friendship.

Send in your questions before Thursdays of each week.

Nina: The more ignorant a person is the more egotistic he sometimes becomes. I would advise no woman to marry a man who is her inferior intellectually.

It is hard to teach a person right from wrong after he gets past thirty-five summers. At this age people usually become set in their ways.

W. Be strong and courageous, you are too noble and good to pay attention to small things.

H. Before you advise others to be good, you should yourself be so.

Flossie: Had he asked for you sincerely, he would not have refused to steal for you. When a man is trying to win a girl he will do anything to please her.

Laura: You think more of yourself than it is expedient to show.

Hattie: Do anything to improve your complexion, hair or teeth. The great fault with our girls is, they don't properly care for their personal attire.

Since broad shoes are the fad, any one may wear a rainy day dress.

Fannie: I never did approve of a lady visiting the home of her betrothed or even a gentleman caller, except she was in company with the gentleman. The appreciation of such calls are of short duration.

Elena: I am glad the popular South Washington doctor is married again. He did the honorable thing.

The person who tells his own affairs will exaggerate about others.

If you are honest and are misjudged, never take the trouble to explain. Right will prevail.

No sensible person will bring personal feelings into business. Good deeds cannot be hidden.

Towards ofttimes do an injury in a way that puts the blame on some one else. Cowardice and deceit go together.

Beware of the person who talks about her friend after they have had a falling out.

Addie: I believe in all denominations. The Catholic church is said to be the first church.

Arnie: You say that Sunday is the beginning of a new week. Such being the case Saturday must be a day of rest and church. I shall always hold that Monday is the first day.

Girls: The raglan makes a splendid every day gown, but I do not like it for dressy occasions. If you don't buy a good one take my advice and get a macintosh instead.

## A CENTURY OF PROGRESS.

It has been reserved for Prof. E. B. Sear, of the United States, to give the most striking summary of the world's progress in science during the century just closed. It is an admirable instance of the optimum in parvo and brings home the salient points of the century in a way that volumes of learned disquisition would fail to do.)

We received 23 chemical elements, we bequeath 80.

We received the stairway, we bequeath the elevator.

We received the gunpowder, we bequeath nitroglycerin.

We received the tallow dip, we bequeath the arc light.

We received the sailing ship, we bequeath the steamship.

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We received the average duration of life of 30 years, we bequeath 40 years.

## BABY SMOKES CIGARS.

**Four-Year-Old Russell J. Henry, of Chicago, Has Used Tobacco Since He Was Two Years Old.**

Russell J. Henry, four years old, sat with his legs crossed on the top of the bar in a buffet at 112 Dearborn street, Chicago, the other day, and puffed at black cigars with the air of a veteran smoker. At his side stood Joseph Henry, his father and proprietor of the buffet, laughing with the bystanders at the startling precocity of his son.

'Now for a Havana, papa," said Russell, as he was lifted to a seat facing the crowd that had gathered about him. He is a slender little fellow, three feet high, with yellow hair, blue eyes, and ruddy cheeks. His hands shook nervously as he settled into a comfortable position. He has been a smoker for two years past.

"NOW FOR A HAVANA, PAPA."

Grasping the cigar extended him by his father, Russell bit off the end, struck a match on the sole of his shoe, and was soon smoking furiously. Drawing the smoke deep into his lungs, he expelled it in the form of rings, laughing at the amazed expression on the faces of the spectators. The cigar was held by the boy daintily between the first and second fingers of the left hand,

"And what now, Russell?" asked his father.

"I think I'll take a strong Key West," replied Russell. "I hardly know I'm smoking," he explained, "when I'm puffing a mild one."

The Key West was consumed as quickly as the Havana, and then Russell called for "a good domestic." Russell's performance, says the Chicago Inter Ocean, concluded with a dissertation on the art of smoking, in which he defined the characteristics of several brands of tobacco.

"Russell has smoked since he was two years old," said the father. "He first had a mania for collecting matches, pipes, smoking tobacco and cigars. These he would secrete about the house, and finally we caught him smoking on the sly."

## DOG REUNITES FAMILY.

**Estrangement Between a Sioux Falls Couple Healed by a Faithful Pet Spaniel.**

Mr. and Mrs. G. U. Snyder, well-known residents of Sioux Falls, S. D., have returned from St. Paul, Minn., where, after parting in anger, they were reunited by Carlo, a black water spaniel belonging to Mrs. Snyder. Mrs. Snyder quarreled with her husband a short time ago. The latter declared she would never see him again and left their home. The wife, after departure of her husband, regretted the separation. She ascertained that her husband had gone to St. Paul. With Carlo and a companion, she hurried there. She asked the police to aid her in finding her husband. A detective was detailed on the case, and he and Mrs. Snyder searched the city for two days without finding any trace of the missing man.

BARKING AND PRANCING AROUND.

Almost despairing of ever finding him, Mrs. Snyder, accompanied by her dog, went for a walk. While passing along one of the streets of St. Paul, the dog suddenly gave a series of yelps and started after a man who had just turned into a near-by street. Mrs. Snyder followed, intent only upon preventing the dog getting lost in a strange city. She found the animal barking and prancing about the missing husband. Snyder was as pleased at the meeting as his wife, and it did not take them long to effect a reconciliation.

## HAD QUEER WEDDING

**Pennsylvania Romeo Weds His Juliet Up a Tree.**

**Backwoods Belle Is Not at All Backward—Bride on One Tree, Groom on Another and Parson on a Third.**

A Pennsylvania correspondent of the Chicago Inter Ocean says that odd stories of the doings of Susquehanna county women occasionally become matter of public gossip, and frequently the experiences and actions of these backwoods belles, which are as wild in their way as the country in which the women live, make them a matter of more than passing interest. Take the case of Miss Emma Swanzer, for instance:

Miss Swanzer lived near Springville, and with her "steady company," Charles Bangs, went to Brooksdale one recent night to attend the wedding of mutual friends. During the evening Miss Emma became jealous of Bangs' attentions to another girl and refused to speak to him. When they started home they both felt relieved when Rev. Mr. Hunter, the village preacher, joined them.

In a field adjoining the road was a Texas steer, a recent acquisition to the place, and no lover of the human race. The party had to go through the field in which the steer was and he pursued them. Bangs gave a cry of alarm, and ran for some trees a few feet ahead, closely followed by Miss Swanzer and the preacher. Bangs shinned up one, and Miss Swanzer proved her agility by climbing another, assisted by the preacher, who gave her a lift before he sought safety in still another tree. The infuriated animal ran around and around the trees. A half-hour passed and the steer still stood guard.

Thinking this an excellent time to reconcile the couple, the minister began. The work was done, however, almost before he had begun. The couple desired to be married at once. They could just join hands from where they clung, but they got a grip and held while Rev. Mr. Hunter performed the marriage ceremony from his place in the third tree. The Texas steer bellowed the wedding march.

THEY GOT A GRIP.

When the good man had concluded, Farmer Stone and his two sons happened along and the steer was driven away. The bride, bridegroom and minister were transferred to a wagon and taken to the bride's home, where there was an evening of rejoicing and general merry-making.

At Ararat two aged sisters have lived alone in a small hut for years. All of the windows, except one, were kept barred. How these two women, now in the sunset of life, lived no one knew. They rarely asked aid of any sort, and they chopped their wood and dragged it home from the forest. Their dresses seemed to be made of old meal sacks.

The other day the women applied to the poor authorities for help. The poormaster, before granting aid, decided to call and see what their circumstances were. They found the room piled full of boxes, and proceeded to investigate. The boxes were found to contain silverware, silks, satins, shawls, bolts of calico and sheeting, boots, shoes, crockery, sacks of sugar and salt, etc. Under the stove was found a wallet containing $150 and the lining of an old dress yielded $450. The entire find is valued at $3,000.

The Widow Hammond, who lives down on her little farm near Cochecton, had a lively experience with a big black bear the other night. Mrs. Hammond was awakened by the shrieking of her porker. Lighting a lantern, Mrs. Hammond seized a hatchet and hurried to the barn, where she found a bear trying to carry away the hog. The widow at once attacked the bear and struck him several times with the hatchet, but it seemed only to infuriate the brute, which, with a blow with one of its paws, felled the widow to the ground.

Mrs. Hammond got up and rushed to the house, secured a rifle and returned to the barn. The bear had lifted the hog out of the pen, when the widow raised her gun and sent a bullet into its brain. The bear fell over dead. The report of the gun aroused the neighbors, and, when they arrived upon the scene the widow was in a dead faint in the barn. The bear weighed 272 pounds.

**Washington's Shingle Industry.**

Washington is called the shingle state. It has 444 lumber mills, sawing over 9,000,000 feet per day, turning out 20,000,000 shingles, and employing 24,000 men.

## BOOZER STOPS A TEAM.

**Faithful New York Bull Terrier Proves for a Second Time That He Is a Real Hero.**

Boozer, the bull terrier that covered himself with glory a fortnight ago by dragging a woman from in front of a Broadway car in New York after she had ben knocked down by a cab, added another notch to his bravery record by stopping a runaway team. The runaway team was drawing a victoria containing several people. The driver tried to cross the track in front of an approaching trolley car. The car, which was going at a good speed, hit the victoria forward of the front wheels. The vehicle was jammed up against an elevated railroad pillar and the right-hand door was burst open. Through the door the occupants were thrown into the roadway and the driver was thrown to the street.

HE TUGGED AND TUGGED.

With no one to hold the horses, they started west through Thirty-eighth street with the reins and the pole of the carriage dragging behind. Near the Metropolitan opera house William Sullivan, of 239 West Forty-fifth street, was walking down Broadway on the east side of the way with Boozer. The terrier saw what was wanted. He overhauled the runaways between Fortieth and Forty-first streets, and with almost human intelligence grabbed the dragging rein. He tugged and tugged and at Forty-first street he turned the runaways around the west corner sharply. This slackened their speed, and a policeman came up and seized the bridles. Boozer trotted back to his owner. None of the occupants of the victoria was injured, and the coachman escaped with a few bruises.

## CAT STOLE DIAMONDS.

**Feline Kleptomaniac in Pittsburg Showed Rare Discrimination in Choosing Plunder.**

Pittsburg is rejoicing over the discovery of a feline kleptomaniac. Unlike other kleptomaniacs, the cat thief in Pittsburg was not content with stealing silks or articles of small value. The Maltese shoplifter stole diamonds only, and the jeweler whom she robbed said the cat was a good judge of gems, for she had picked out of a large collection some of the finest diamonds in the store.

The cat thief was the trusted and official rat catcher in Emanuel De Roy's jewelry store in Smithfield street. A few nights ago two men, glancing at the show window of the jewelry store, saw the cat jump down into a large tray of diamonds, carefully select a diamond ring and, taking it in her mouth, turn about and disappear. She repeated this performance, and the witnesses reported to a policeman on the corner that a diamond burglary was being perpetrated.

SELECTED A DIAMOND RING.

The policeman looked into the window and when he saw the cat trot away with another diamond ring he was on the verge of calling for the patrol wagon and taking tabby to the station under arrest.

He notified the proprietor of the store, who came down and made an investigation and found that in the little nest that tabby had arranged for her kittens under one of the counters were six or seven rings, pendants and brooches, all containing fine diamond settings. And now, in the words of the policeman who caught the cat:

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**Quarantine Sign in Holland.**

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## AT THE PAN-AMERICAN.

The Louisiana exhibit at the Pan American exposition will occupy 2,000 square feet of space.

Canada's exhibit at the Pan-American exposition will occupy a space of about 3,000 square feet.

New York state will have about 4,000 square feet of space for its exhibit at the Pan-American exposition.

Arrangements have been made to send the miniature Ferris wheel, which has been on exhibition at San Francisco several years, to Buffalo as part of the California exhibition. It will be filled with California dried fruit.

Three million logs in one massive pile make a very interesting sight. A large photograph of such a pile at Amburg, Wis., and 30 other interesting views will form a part of the exhibit of the lumber industries of northern Wisconsin, at the Pan-American exposition.

There will be only one building at the Pan-American exhibition in Buffalo designed in its entirety by a woman, and that one is the structure which will represent the states of New England. The woman whose brilliancy as an architect has gained her this honor is Miss Josephine Wright Chapman, of Boston.

## INDIVIDUALITIES.

The outdoor sporting tastes of the emperor of Japan range from lawn tennis to football.

Arthur James Balfour, first lord of the British treasury, is a fine pianist and music is his hobby.

Mrs. Alice Burnhill Bruce, who recently died at Columbus, O., leaves nearly 300 lineal descendants. She was 94 years old.

The sultan has presented the czar with a magnificent table, with all accessories for smoking. It has been manufactured at the Yildiz factory and is embellished with his majesty's portrait, set in diamonds.

Ex-Senator Roger O. Mills, of Texas, is rapidly becoming an oil baron. His income from oil lands he owns in the Beaumont district of the Lone Star state is over $15,000 per month, with no sign of exhaustion in the greasy flow.

Grover Cleveland is now for the second time the only living ex-president. Once before he enjoyed this distinction, none of his predecessors being alive after the death of Rutherford B. Hayes, January 17, 1893. Within seven weeks, however, Mr. Harrison's name was added to the list.

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Miss Ella Truman will visit her mother, who is in the State of Maryland, during the holidays.

The reception by the Tuesday Night Dancing Class on Christmas Eve will no doubt be a grand affair.

Mrs. Lulu Carroll-Turner is suffering with a severe cold.

Miss Louise Smith will spend the holidays in Boston, Mass.

Miss Charity Heathman will entertain some friends from Philadelphia, Pa., during Christmas week.

The Rev. N. Caldwell Cleaves, the newly appointed minister of Israel C. M. E. Church, will occupy his pulpit for the first time next Sunday morning at 1 o'clock.

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Miss Alice Williams is expecting friends from Richmond during the holidays.

Hon. John C. Dancey, of Wilmington, N. C., was in the city last week.

W. B. Payne, of Warrenton, Va., was the guest of Mr. R. R. Horner last week.

Mrs. Horace Thomas, of Cincinnati, is in the city, the guest of Miss Mollie Marshall, of 313 3d st., s. w.

Mrs. Ruby Adams Dabney, the wife of Mr. James H. Dabney was buried last Sunday afternoon from the Central Methodist Church. Hundreds of people were turned away. Mrs. Dabney was one of the most popular women in the city and one of the best known. She was a woman of business qualities and a great help to her husband.

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